



SENATOR RUNNER'S WEEK IN REVIEW

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Election Day

"I regard voting as the most sacred right of free men and women."

-- June 29, 1981, President Ronald Reagan

Tuesday, November 8th, is Election Day for California. Today, in the United States, we take for granted our voting rights. This is one of our most important rights that we should exercise every time we are given an opportunity.

Unfortunately, some people in this country decide to stay home instead of voting – stating that it's inconvenient, or they do not have enough time, or they do not believe their vote counts. We should not take these rights for granted and offer up excuses.

Just look at the newly formed democracy in Iraq. In their recent election to vote on their new constitution, over 10 million Iraqis voted. These people risked their lives, their families' safety, and waited in long lines just for the opportunity to let their voice be known and participate in their government.

We need to remember that this right given to us is a right that should be treasured and should be taken seriously.

PLEASE READ THE INITIATIVES. Do not make your decision solely on television advertising, radio spots, or mailed brochures. It is your duty to learn about the issues, read the actual initiatives and learn about the candidates and what they stand for. We must take our voting rights seriously.

As President Harry Truman once said, "Decisions are made by those who show up." November 8 is your opportunity to show up and make important decisions that will have a great impact on you, your family and the State of California.

Below I have included links to the County Registrar's Office in case you need to know where your polling location is.

News of the Week

[Secretary of State Web site](#)

[High Speed Rail Clears Another Hurdle](#)

[Illegal Immigration Issue Flares Up at State Capitol](#)

[Education Road Map to be Drawn by Committee](#)

[Hesperia City Council Considers Ban on Medical Marijuana Dispensaries](#)

[Levee Priorities Discussed in State Hearing](#)

[Santa Paula Hires New Police Chief](#)

[New Jethawks Owner Steps Up to Plate](#)

Los Angeles County Registrar of Voters: http://www.lavote.net/voter/where_vote.htm

San Bernardino County Registrar of Voters:
<http://gis1.sbcounty.gov/vrlookup/presentation/chameleon/search.asp>

Ventura County Registrar of Voters: <http://recorder.countyofventura.org/elecidx.htm>

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